Senator Burrows--voting aye. Senator Carsten -- voting aye. Senator Cavanaugh -- voting aye. Senator Chambers -- not voting. Senator Clark -- voting no. Senator Cope--voting no. Senator DeCamp -- not voting. Senator Dickinson--voting aye. Senator Duis--voting no. Senator Dworak -- voting aye. Senator Fitzgerald--excused. Senator Fowler--voting aye. Senator George -- voting aye. Senator Goodrich -- voting aye. Senator Hasebroock -- voting no. Senator Johnson--voting no. Senator Kelly--voting aye. Senator Kennedy--excused. Senator Keyes--excused. Senator Kime -- excused. Senator Koch--excused. Senator Kremer -- voting aye. Senator F. Lewis--voting aye. Senator R. Lewis--excused. Senator Luedtke--voting no. Senator Mahoney--voting no. Senator Maresh -- voting aye. Senator Marsh--voting no. Senator Marvel -- excused. Senator Mills--excused. Senator Moylan -- excused. Senator Murphy--voting aye. Senator Nichol--voting aye. Senator Rasmussen--not voting. Senator Rumery--voting aye. Senator Savage -- voting no. Senator Schmit--vcting aye. Senator Simpson--voting no. Senator Skarda -- voting aye. Senator Stoney--voting aye. Senator Stull--voting no. Senator Swigart -- voting aye. Senator Syas -- voting aye. Senator Warner--excused. Senator Wiltse--voting no.

22 ayes, 13 nays, 14 not voting.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails, the bill is not advanced. Last bill, 150. Senator Nichol has assured us that this will take 3 minutes. Chair recognizes Senator Nichol.

SENATOR NICHOL: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, I think that's about right. If you have read the closing statement which is very adequate and complete by Senator Fowler I would hardly need to say anything. This has to do with cities of the first class. All it does is allow cities of the first class to enter into a contract, or agreement, or lease agreement for longer than the period of a council. The period of a council is two years or less. Since we are encouraged to going into COG or Cooperation of Governments this is necessary for cities